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KERATINOCYTE GROWTH FACTOR (KGF)

## SUBMISSION OF SECOND SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants herewith submit a second substitute specification incorporating the amendments to the substitute specification proposed in the amendment filed January 14, 1997. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.25 and MPEP 608.01(q), applicants have added no new matter. Applicants also submit a marked-up copy of the substitute specification filed January 14, 1997. The second substitute specification includes the changes indicated on the marked-up copy.

Applicants thank Examiner Saoud for her close attention to this case and invite her to contact the undersigned for any reason related to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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